

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: BROWN, ET AL Serial No: 09/055,201 Confirmation No: 3603 Filed: April 3, 1998 For: EXHAUST SYSTEM FOR TREATING PROCESS GAS EFFLUENT	Group Art Unit: 1763 Examiner: Rudy Zervigon Attorney Docket: 000933 USA X02/ETCH/DRIE/JB March 5, 2002 San Francisco, California
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AMENDMENT

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Examiner Zervigon:

The present Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed on December 6, 2001, and is being timely filed within three months thereof.

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1. Papers Enclosed

- ☒ Amendment, Marked-Up Copy of Claims/Specification
- ☐ 0 Sheets of informal drawings
- ☐ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Form PTO-1449
- ☐ Citations
- ☒ Postcard for return
- ☐ _____

Extension of Term

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136.

Extension (Months)	Extension Fee
<input type="checkbox"/> One Month	\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months	\$400.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months	\$920.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months	\$1,440.00
Total: \$ <u>0.00</u>	

☒ Applicant believes no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

Fees for Extra Claims

Amendment Fee Calculation					
	Claims remaining after amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid for	Number Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
				Large Entity	
Total Claims	66	67	0	\$18.00	0
Independent Claims	6	6	0	\$80.00	0
Multiple Dependent claims				\$270.00	0
Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement				\$180.00	0.00
TOTAL					0.00

FEE PAYMENT

Extension Fees \$ 0.00

Fees for Extra Claims + \$ 0.00

Total \$ 0.00

- ☐ Attached is check no. _____ in the sum of \$0.00.
 - ☐ Please charge account no. 10-0258 in the sum of \$ ____.
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FEE DEFICIENCY

- ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 10-0258.
- and/or
- ☒ If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 10-0258.

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